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To: Supervisor Gloria Molina, Chair  
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From: Patricia S. Ploehn, LCSW  
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**EXECUTION OF FOSTER FAMILY AGENCY (FFA) AND GROUP HOME (GH) FOSTER CARE SERVICES CONTRACT RENEWALS**

This is to inform your Board that I have used Board-delegated authority to execute contract renewals with fifty-six (56) FFA providers and eighty (80) GH providers as stipulated in the Board letter adopted by your Board on October 21, 2008. The contract renewals are effective November 1, 2010 through October 31, 2011. This is the second of four renewal options.

The estimated cost of the renewal is \$126.2 million for the FFA contracts, and \$200 million for the GH contracts.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at (213) 351-5600, or your staff may contact Armand Montiel, Board Liaison, at (213) 351-5530.

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